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BIRTH.
 A son was born, on the evening of Good Friday, 1st April, to the Rev. G. W. and Mrs. SHIPPARD, at the Methodist Mission Compound, Ningpo.

The publication of this issue commenced at 5.15 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, APRIL 12, 1904.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Gymkhana.
 Entries for the forthcoming Gymkhana close to-morrow at 6 p.m., and may be left with the Hon. Secretary at the Hongkong Club. The programme of the races will be found in our advertising columns.

Plague and Small-Pox.
 Seven cases of small-pox (5 Chinese, 1 European and 1 Philippine) and three cases of plague occurred during the week ended April 9. Five cases of small-pox and the three plague cases (Chinese) proved fatal. A non-fatal case of enteric fever was also reported.

R. A. O. B. Ball.
 The final ball of the season under the auspices of the R. A. O. B. will be held on April 14, at the City Hall. Dancing will commence at 9 p.m., and the Band of the Sherwood Foresters will supply the necessary music. The R. A. O. B. have quite a reputation for the excellence of their dances.

A Fatal Fall.
 While a gang of coolies were engaged in removing large cases of matches from a Godown in West Point yesterday one of them fell from the top of a case on to the ground. He struck his head, inflicting a serious wound. With all dispatch he was sent to the Tung Wah Hospital, but his condition became worse, and he expired. Death was due to a fractured skull.

Western Education in China.
 A Wuchang correspondent writes to the N.C. Daily News that in that city there is a school for expectant officials—Mandarin Institute. Its spring term was opened on the 24th March, with great ceremony. The Governor and other high officials being present. The faculty consists of four lecturers, viz., Dr. W. A. P. Martin, International Law; Mr. Shimomura, Civil Law; Mr. Teng, Mathematics; and Mr. Tso, Geography. Ninety new students were introduced to the professors.

The New Peak Tramway.
 The Hongkong correspondent of the N.C. Daily News writes:—I hear that the Hongkong High Level Tramways Co. have decided to oppose the Bill authorizing the promoters of the new line from Battery Path to Victoria Gap via Caine Road, Robinson Road, Conduit Road and Queen's Gardens. They intend to appear by counsel before the Legislative Council and endeavour to get the Bill rejected. I think this is bad policy. The existing tramway cannot be developed materially, and the traffic is increasing all the time. Moreover the new line will open up an entirely new district and be a great public convenience.

Leavitt's Troubadours.
 A fairly large house welcomed Leavitt's Troubadours at the City Hall last night, but the performance was not up to the standard usually seen in Hongkong. Mr. Will Leavitt has a very pleasing baritone voice, which showed out to excellent advantage in his opening song, 'With a love that shall not die.' He gained an encore, and his second essay was equally as successful as his first. Mr. Geo. V. Loyall in his patter songs and dances scored well, and was recalled several times. His work is of the usual patter and low comedian variety, which is always sure of a good reception in places like Hongkong. Although not possessing a good voice he makes himself extremely funny and brought down the house by his witticisms. M. Lohore looked pretty in her poses; some of the electrical effects being attractive. The Zancig gave an interesting display of mental telepathy or thought transmission, which was a complete success. With hardly a mistake Madame Zancig either added columns of figures written on a slate by the audience, and which she certainly did not see, or declared the names of articles touched by Professor Zancig in the auditorium. Miss Chard is not a singer by any means, but her dancing is better, although not excellent. The two forces were amusing, and created roars of laughter. The same programme will be repeated to-night.

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Retiring from the Chinese Customs.
 The N.C. Daily News says:—Very general regret is felt at the departure for home of Mr. J. H. P. Perry, who has been Acting Deputy Commissioner of the Kiangsu Likin Collectorate at Soochow, but who has decided to retire from the Customs service. Before leaving Soochow Mr. Perry was received by H. E. En Shou, the Governor, who treated him with the greatest courtesy and consideration. Mr. and Mrs. Perry leave by the German mail to-day.

Sporting Records.
 At Sydney, N.S. Wales, on March 12, the Half-Mile Swimming World's record was broken, and the World's Champion, E. Cavill, defeated by a lad named B. Kern, who is not yet 17 years of age. The former record stood at 11 min. 50 1/2 seconds, but Kern won in 11 min. 29 1/2 seconds, Cavill finishing second, in 11 min. 40 1/2 seconds. Four days later, the two met in the quarter-mile championship of Australasia, when Cavill turned the tables on his opponent by winning by two yards in 5 min. 36 sec.—another World's record, the previous best being 5 min. 28 sec. The World's Competition record for one mile, cycling, was lowered by Floyd Macdonald, from U.S.A., on the same day at Sydney to 1 min. 49 sec. During the present season several new records have been established in Australia.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Note by the Way.
 H.M.S. Fearless has gone to Chimo.

Mr Cecil Wray is appointed to act as British Resident, Pahang.

It is expected that H.M.S. Leviathan will remain for two months at Wei-hai-wei.

The Camp Hotel at Shanghai was destroyed by fire on the 7th inst. It was insured.

The N.C. Daily News praises the Dallas Company's production of 'The Mikado' in Shanghai.

The foundation stone of a new bathhouse for the Shanghai Rowing Club was laid on the 9th inst.

Mr Thomas Bunt is leaving Shanghai to establish himself in private practice as a consulting engineer in Manchester.

The Shanghai C.C. is building a new pavilion at a cost of Taels 16,000 to plans prepared by Mr R. B. Moorhead.

The latest exchanges from Shanghai state that the American schooner Eldorado, ashore in the Yangtze, was expected to be refitted at the next spring tide.

On the 6th inst., the Russian General reported that there was not on that date a Japanese soldier on Manchurian soil. He did not say when they were expected.

The Shanghai Branch of the Navy League proposes to raise and spend a large sum of money to provide a recreation ground for the naval sailors frequenting Shanghai.

Captain P. N. Buckley, Portsmouth Division of the Militia Submarine Miners, has been approved for employment under the Government of the Australian Commonwealth.

In the inter-settlement match between Singapore and Penang at Singapore, the Singapore team lost two wickets for 4 runs, three for 6, six for 22, and the side was out for 127.

Before leaving Japan, Captain Troubridge, British naval attaché, was received in audience by the Emperor, who decorated him with the Second Class Order of the Rising Sun.

A branch of the Triad Society has been discovered by the police at Singapore. In a raid and seizure of books, etc., it was found that most of the members are Kwangsi men.

Dr L.G. Hill and Mrs Hill, of Pakhoi, are passengers by the German mail steamer Hamburg, sailing to-morrow. Dr Hill, who we regret to say has been in ill health, goes home on twelve months furlough.

The Lyceum Theatre at Shanghai was 'packed from floor to ceiling' when Mr Percival Knight took his benefit. He played the part of Koko in 'The Mikado', and had to repeat 'The Flowers that bloom in the spring' no less than four times.

Miss Viola Tree, daughter of Mr. Boerholm Tree, made her theatrical debut on the 10th ult. at the Theatre Royal, Edinburgh, in the part of Viola, the twin, in 'Twelfth Night'. Her recitals were enthusiastic, and at the close Mr. Tree addressed a few words thanking the audience for its sympathy.

H. M. S. Adromeda, which relieves the Hienchen on this station, brings out new recruits for the armed shallow-draught gunboats Moosien, Lieutenant Commander F. B. Noble, and Tod, Lieutenant Commander Eric V. F. R. Dogmore, which are to be recommissioned on the China Station.

Collision on the Yangtze.
 On the 6th inst., the Shanghai Mercury reported:—Yesterday at about 5.30 p.m. a Norwegian steamer outward bound when abreast of the Old Duck, collided with a large sampan which had a load of hard wood on board for the I.M. Customs at Pootung. There was a strong tide running at the time, and the sampan was unable to get out of the steamer's way before the accident occurred. The boat was cut completely in two and the crew were all precipitated into the river. The steamer insisted of trying to render some assistance to the struggling men, kept on her way, the people on board apparently paying no attention to the affair, but it is possible they were unable to stop in that part of the river. However, a couple of boats were at once lowered from H.M.S. Rosario, but on proceeding to the spot, no signs of the crew were to be seen. Whether they were all drowned or picked up by some of the native craft is still unknown. One half of the boat drifted over to the Pootung shore and the other half was taken in tow by one of Messrs Farnham and Boyd's steam launches and beached near their Pootung works.

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A Whitewasher's Fall.
 Yesterday a coolie was engaged in whitewashing a house in Wanchai Road. He was standing on a plank, which broke, precipitating him to the ground. He landed on his head and was removed to the Tung Wah Hospital, where he was admitted for treatment. The injury received is not serious.

The Danger of being Early.
 The Foochow Echo of the 2nd inst. has the following paragraph:—The arrival of snipe is due, according to old inhabitants, at 2.30 a.m. on the 15th inst. A few early birds have, however, arrived, and have fallen to the gun of Mr. Howell. These may or may not have caught the early worm—six couple certainly caught lead poisoning from Mr. Howell's gun yesterday.

The Accident to Col. W. E. G. Forbes.
 We published yesterday (says the Times of Ceylon of the 23rd ult.) an account of a serious accident which had occurred to Col. W. E. G. Forbes, at Madras, by which a gun had gone off and lacerated his hand. The following telegram from Col. Forbes himself explains how the accident happened:—'Madras, March 22, 5.30 a.m.—Making progress satisfactorily. Thanks Ceylon friends for enquiries. I went on to the roof to shoot crows and slipped and fell, and in the fall the gun went off into my hand.—Forbes.' It is lucky the accident was no worse, and we hope to hear that Col. Forbes will soon recover, and that no permanent injury is done to his hand.

The Soldier 'Growses'!
 'A Regimental Officer,' in the Pioneer, gives the recent Rawalpindi manoeuvres a delightful slating, which appears to have been thoroughly well deserved. He remarks, while refraining from including within the scope of his article any comment on the strategy or tactics employed throughout the manoeuvres, that 'a glance at the first two pages of Combined Training will suffice to show that the principles therein enumerated were not more conspicuous by their observance than they were by their neglect. He gives accounts when the troops were bucketed about aimlessly and inconsiderately, and winds up his remarks on the subject by saying:—'Finally, it is open to doubt whether the strain put on men and animals—a strain that was moreover sudden and had been preceded by no preliminary practice—is beneficial even to the extent of hardening them. As an old N. C. O. said to one of his officers, 'We managed to stand the siege of Ladysmith without any practice.'

Cremation in Bangkok.
 Mom Chue, deceased wife of H.R.H. the Minister for the Interior, was cremated on March 27 at Bangkok. The King of Siam, the Minister's colleagues in the Ministry, including H.R.H. Prince Krom Phra Bhanubhanduwongse (Bhanurangsi), and other members of the Royal family were present, and the gathering of the foreign community included the members of the Diplomatic and Consular Corps, and many of the general body of residents. When all the other guests had assembled, Her Majesty the Queen drove up with an escort of cavalry, and shortly afterwards H.R.H. the Crown Prince joined the number of the Princes in the central pavilion. After an interval His Majesty arrived from Dusit Park, accompanied by several of the younger members of the royal family. A cordon of honour with Band was in attendance, and His Majesty was escorted to the War by the Royal Guard. The funeral pile was lighted by the Crown Prince and the guests then proceeded in a long procession to the pyre and in accordance with custom cast upon it the candles and other articles provided for the purpose.

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W. T. Stead and Africa.
 Lord Milner, the High Commissioner of South Africa, has telegraphed to Cape Town that Mr W. T. Stead, who is now in that city, is not wanted in the Transvaal, says a telegram from London.

A Bank Robbed.
 The branch of the National Bank of South Africa at Denver, eastwards of Johannesburg, has been stuck up by robbers, who shot the manager and stole £1000. The manager was seriously wounded.

Collapses of a Wall.
 On Saturday afternoon three Chinese workmen were killed and two injured through the collapse of a wall at Taikoktsui. It appears that some time in December last a fire occurred at Taikoktsui, a building being gutted, the walls alone remaining. These walls were now being pulled down when the accident occurred which cost the three workmen their lives.

An Interesting Invention.
 Letters Patent have been granted to Messrs Gerald E. Holland, C.I.E., D.S.O., Commander Royal Indian Marine, Principal Post Officer, Rangoon, and Henry Johnston, Chief Engineer, Royal Indian Marine, Engineer and Shipwright Surveyor, Rangoon, for an invention for improvements in ship for facilitating the measurement and discharge of coal, ore, grain or the like.

Weihaiwei's Attractions.
 It cannot be doubted (says the N.C. Daily News) that the season at Weihaiwei will be a brilliant one this summer. There is the excitement of proximity to the seat of war coupled with the sense of absolute security under the Union Jack. The bungalows are all, or nearly all, taken; and the experience of all who were there last year unites in saying that the King's Hotel, under the management of Mr Loureiro, is one of the very best in China, with every possible attention to guests, and moderate charges.

The King and The Press.
 A telegram from London states that the London correspondent of the News & Review telegraphed recently to his journal that it was the earnest desire of King Edward that all countries should unite at the present time in promoting goodwill among the nations. A copy of the issue in which the telegram appeared was forwarded to King Edward, who replied that he attached much importance to the tone adopted by newspapers of the various countries of the world at the present juncture, and therefore he was glad to read the telegram.

Two Old Residents.
 Among the passengers by the Hamburg to-morrow is Mr John Goemann, who leaves Hongkong for good. Mr Goemann is one of the best known and most popular German residents here, and he has been over thirty-one years in the Colony. He will be greatly missed by British residents as well as his own nationals, and his cheery genialness will be difficult to replace. His many friends wish him a good voyage and a happy time at home. Mr Paul Brevitt also goes home on furlough, after a long residence here, and the good wishes of his numerous friends go with him with the hope that the short leave may fully restore him to vigorous health.

Chinese Mercantile Flags.
 Owing to the similarity of the China Merchants S. Co.'s house flag to the Japanese Mercantile flag—that of the C. M. S. N. Co., is a red flag with a yellow ball in the centre, while that of the latter is a white flag with a red ball in the centre—it has been recently decided (says the N.C. Daily News) by the Shanghai (Ministry of Commerce) to make the following changes:—The China Merchants' flag will in the future be the usual square red flag with a yellow ball in the centre, but with the addition of two black dragons facing each other in the middle of the yellow ball (designated by the Chinese 'Yellow Moon'). The foregoing flag is intended to distinguish the vessels of the China Merchants S. N. Co. from Chinese trading vessels belonging to other owners who in the future are to fly a similar flag (red, with a yellow ball in the centre), but with only a single black dragon inside the yellow ball.

A Triumph for Robert Hart.
 According to the N.C. Daily News, a dispatch from Peking reports that the Boards of Revenue, War, and Commerce are drawing up a joint memorial to the Throne recommending the abolition of the old Courier Post Department and the handing over of the transmission of all Government and official dispatches throughout the Empire to the Chinese Imperial Post established by Sir Robert Hart. The funds hitherto paid out for the support of the old Courier Post are recommended by the memorialists to be handed over to Sir Robert Hart for the extension of the new Postal Department in order to meet the requirements of the case. The abolition of the old courier régime will be one great important step towards the handing over of the entire official and private mails to the Chinese Imperial Post, by the exclusion of every other mode of transmission that has been in practice in China for nearly twenty centuries.

BY TELEGRAPH.

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JAPAN AND KOREA.

MARQUIS ITO IN JAPAN.
 Result of his Mission.
 LONDON, April 11.
 The London Standard's Tokyo correspondent states that at a dinner in Tokyo Marquis Ito, who had lately returned from his mission in Korea, announced the complete attainment of the object of his mission.

He had returned with the strongest assurances from the Emperor of Korea of the complete good faith and unchanging goodwill of the Koreans.

[REUTER'S SERVICE.]
OBITUARY.
 LONDON, April 10.
 The death of Isabella, ex-Queen of Spain, is announced.

THE ANGLO-FRENCH AGREEMENT.
 The Anglo-French agreements are very generally approved of in Great Britain and France.

The London press, with the exception of the Morning Post, congratulates the Government on what it describes as the most satisfactory diplomatic incident recorded for centuries.

The German Press regard the Anglo-French agreement with an unfriendly eye. The Italian press rejoices at it.

GERMAN SOUTH WEST AFRICA.
 The German forces in South-west Africa have had a severe but successful encounter with the Hereros. The Germans had 31 men and 1 officer killed, and 16 men and 1 officer wounded. The Hereros had 92 men killed.

THE RUSSIAN NAVY.
 Captain Grigorovich, in command of the Tzarevitch, has been promoted to the rank of Rear-Admiral for gallantry in presence of the enemy, and has also been appointed commandant of Port Arthur.

AUSTRIA AND ITALY.
 The Austrian and Italian Ministers have conferred for several hours at Abbazia.

THE KAISER'S TOUR.
 The Kaiser has landed at Malta.

EX-QUEEN ISABELLA.
 Reuter announces the death of Isabella II (Maria Isabella Louisa), ex-Queen of Spain. The late Queen was born at Madrid on Oct. 30, 1830. Her father, Ferdinand VII., had been induced, by the influence of his wife, to issue the Pragmatic Decree, revoking the Salic law; and at his death, Sept. 29, 1833, his eldest daughter, then a child, was proclaimed Queen, under the regency of her mother, Maria-Christina. This event proved the signal for civil warfare, as the claims of the late king's brother were warmly supported by certain classes of the people. The war of succession lasted seven years, and the country was desolated by the struggle between the contending Carlist and Christina parties, until the Cortes confirmed the claims of Isabella by pronouncing sentence of exile on Don Carlos and his adherents. In 1840 the Queen-regent, finding it impossible to carry on the government without making concessions to public feeling, for which she was indisposed, retired to France, resigning her power into the hands of Espartero, whom she had been previously compelled to summon to the head of affairs. For the following three years, while that constitutional leader was able in great measure to direct her education and training, the young Queen was subjected to purer and better influences than she had before experienced. She was declared by a decree of the Cortes to have attained her majority, Oct. 15, 1843, and took her place among the reigning sovereigns of Europe. Maria-Christina returned to Madrid in 1845, and her restoration to influence was marked by the marriage of Isabella II. to her cousin, Don Francisco d'Assisi, the elder son of her maternal uncle, Don Francisco de Paula, which took place Oct. 10, 1846. Sacrificed to the intrigues of a party whose interests were based on this incongruous union, Isabella II. never knew the beneficial influence of domestic happiness; estrangement and reconciliations having succeeded each other alternately in her married life. It deserves special mention, however, that during her reign Spain rose to take rank among the great powers of Europe, while the internal progress of the country advanced with rapid strides. On Sept. 16, 1808, a great revolution broke out in Spain, starting with the fleet of Cadix, and gradually spreading over the whole peninsula. The speedy result was the formation of a Republican Provisional Government under Prim, Serrano, and others at Madrid, and the flight of Queen Isabella to France. On Nov. 8 her Majesty took up her residence in Paris, where she remained during the exile, with the exception of an interval spent at Geneva during the Franco-Prussian War. On June 25, 1870, she renounced her claims to the Spanish throne in favour of her eldest son, the Prince of Spain. After eight years of exile she returned to Spain; and was received at Santander by her son, the late King Alfonso XIII. (July 29, 1876). Queen Isabella had

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GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	Dardanus	13th	May.

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FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
LONDON & ANTWERP	Macaron	12th
GENOA, MARSEILLES & LIVERPOOL	Idomeneus	14th
LONDON & ANTWERP	Telemachus	26th
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GENOA, MARSEILLES & LIVERPOOL	Achilles	26th

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SHANGHAI	W. H. SUNG	16th April
SWATOW, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN	KANG	18th April
KORE	TENAN	19th April, 4 p.m.

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STEAMERS	SAILING DATES, 1904.
HAMBURG	WEDNESDAY, 13th April.
PRINZ HEINRICH	WEDNESDAY, 27th April.
BAYERN	WEDNESDAY, 26th May.
OLDENBURG	WEDNESDAY, 8th June.
SACHSEN	WEDNESDAY, 22nd June.
ZITTELN	WEDNESDAY, 6th July.
SEYDLITZ	WEDNESDAY, 20th July.
ROON	WEDNESDAY, 3rd Aug.
PRINZ REGENT LUITPOLD	WEDNESDAY, 17th Aug.

* Steamers of the Hamburg-Amerika Linie.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of April, 1904, at Noon, the Steamship
HAMBURG of the Hamburg-Amerika Linie, Captain BURMEISTER, with MAIL
PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at
NAPLES and GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, on Monday, the 11th April, Cargo
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and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon, on Tuesday, the 12th
April.

Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than
\$2.50 and Parcels should not exceed 100 lbs. in weight.

The Steamer has splendid accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardesses.
Linen can be washed on board.

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VIA

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Steamers	Tons	Captains	To Sail
LYRA	4417	G. V. William	May 4.
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* Have no Second-class Passenger accommodation. † Cargo only.

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S.S. SHAWMUT..... 9606 tons | Capt. W. M. Smith. | About 30th April.

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Steamship	Tons	Captains	For	Sailing Date.
RUBI	2540	R. W. Almond	Manila Direct	April 16, at 10 a.m.
ZAVIRO	2540	R. Rodger	Manila Direct	April 23, at 10 a.m.
PERLA	1980	A. H. Notley	—	—

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Shewan, Tomes & Co.,

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Hongkong, April 9, 1904.

JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LINE.

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REGULAR FOUR-WEEKLY SERVICE BETWEEN

JAVA, CHINA AND JAPAN.

STEAMERS	FROM	EXPECTED ON OR ABOUT	WILL LEAVE FOR	ON OR ABOUT
TJIPANAS	JAPAN.	First half of May.	SINGAPORE AND JAVA PORTS.	First half of May.
TJILATJAP	JAVA, Via MACASSAR.	Second half of May.	JAPAN.	Second half of May.
TJIMARI	Do.	Second half of May.	JAPAN.	Second half of May.

The steamers are all fitted throughout with Electric Light, and have accom-
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TELEPHONE No. 201.

Hongkong, April 7, 1904.

FOR ILOILO.

THE Steamship

PRONTO,

Captain GRANT, will be despatched for

the above Port on SUNDAY, the 17th

April, at Daylight.

For Freight, apply to

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE,

Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, April 11, 1904.

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NOTICE.

STEAM FOR

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COLOMBO, ADEN, EGYPT, MAR-

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PLATE.

ON TUESDAY, the 19th April, 1904,

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ship SALAZAR, Captain Nunez, with

MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and

CARGO, will leave this Port for MAR-

SEILLES, Via Ports of Call, WITHOUT TRANS-

SHIPMENT.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-

cepted in transit through Marseilles for the

principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted till

Noon only on MONDAY, the 18th April.

Specie and Parcels received until 4 p.m.

on the same day. No Cargo will be re-

ceived on board on Tuesday.

Parcels are not to be sent on board;

they must be left at the Agency's Office.

Contents and value of Packages are re-

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For further particulars, apply at the

Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent.

Hongkong, April 7, 1904.

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VENICE AND ADRIATIC PORTS.)

THE Company's Steamship

TRIESTE,

HONGKONG AVERAGE MARKET

HONGKONG AVERAGE MARKET PRICES.		
Corrected to Thursday, April 7, 1904.		
At 100 cents per Dollar Mexican.		
Butcher Meat.		
Beef sirloin & prime cut—Mei Lang Pa ... lb	18	肥牛
" Corned—Ham Ngau Yuk ... "	18	鹹牛
" Roast,—Shiu ... "	18	鹹牛
" Breast,—Ngau Lam ... "	14	牛腩
" Soup,—Tong Yuk ... "	14	牛腩
" Steak,—Ngau Yuk Pa ... "	18	牛肉
" —Cutom Ngau Lan Sirloin ... "	26	牛腩
" Sausages,—Ngau Chaang ... "	16	牛腩
Bullock's Brain,—Siow ... per set	8	牛腦
" Tongue fresh,—Ngau Li ... each	45	牛舌
" —, corned—Ham Ngau Li ... "	55	鹹牛
" Head,—Ngau Tau ... "	55	牛頭
" Heart,—Ngau Sum ... "	1b. 9	牛心
" Hump, Salt,—Ngau Kin ... "	14	牛肩
" Feet,—Ngau Kerk ... each	8	牛腳
" Kidneys,—Ngau Yiu ... "	8	牛腎
" Tail,—Ngau Mei ... "	16	牛尾

" Liver,—Ngau Gon ...	... lb. 9	牛肝
" Tripe (undressed)—Ngau To ...	5	牛肚
Cow's Head and Feet—Ngau-chai-tau-kak, set	75	牛仔頭
Mutton Chop,—Yeung Pui Kwat ...	... lb. 15	羊腩
" Leg,—Yeung Pei ...	... 22	羊腿
" Shoulder,—Yeung Shau ...	... 24	羊手
Pigs' Chittipus—Chi chong ...	... 7	猪鬃
" Brains—Chi Know ...	per set ... 12	猪腦
" Feet,—Chi Kork ...	... 12	猪腳
" Fry,—Chi Chak ...	... 19	猪雜
" Head,—Chi Tau ...	... 19	猪頭
" Heart,—Chi Sum ...	each 9	猪心
" Kidneys,—Chi Yui ...	... 6	猪腰

" Liver,—Chi Con	...	...	lb. 24	豬肝
Pork,—Choi Pui Ewat	...	...	..	豬腩
" Corned,—Ham Chu Yuk	...	...	..	鹹肉
" Leg,—Chau Poi	...	...	..	豬比
" Fat or Lard,—Chu Yau	...	...	..	豬油
" Sheep's Head and Feet,—Young Tau Kerk eat	60			羊頭
" Heart,—Young Sum	...	each	6	羊心
" Kidney,—Young Yiu	...	..	10	羊腰
" Liver,—Young Con	...	... lb.	22	羊肝
Sucking Pigs, To Order—Chu Chai	...	..	17	豬仔
Suet, Beef,—Sang Ngau Yau	...	...	..	生牛油
" Mutton,—Sang Young Yau	...	...	..	生牛油
Weal,—Ngau Chai Yuk	...	...	..	牛仔肉
" Weal,—Nga Chai Yuk Tong	...	...	..	牛仔肉

Sausages, -Pig, Calf, Pork, Tong, etc.	生肉	
Poultry.	生口	
Chickens, -Kai Chai ...	30	雞仔
Drapens, Large, Small, -Siu Kai ...	30	雞鴨
Ducks, -A ...	18	鴨
Ooves, -Fan Ksu ...	each	雞蛋
Eggs, Hen -Kai Tan ...	per dozen	鴨蛋
Fowls, Canton, -Kai ...	34	鴨
Hainan, -Hoi Nam Kai ...	28	海南雞
Geese, -Ngoi ...	21	鵝
Wild Sh'hai, -Shai Yee Ngoi, pair		野鴨
Musk Deer, -Wong Keng ...	each	麝

Pare, Shanghai—Tu Chai ...	..	—	免仔
"Partridge,—Che Khoo .....	..	..	鷓鴣
"Peasant,—Shan Kai .....	..	pair	山雞
"Pigeons, Canton,—Paik' Kap ...	each	20	白鴿
"..... Hoilow,—Hoi How Pak Kyp. ....	..	25	海口白鴿
"Quail,—Um Chun	each	25	鶉鴒
"Rice Birds,—Wo Ka Cheuk	dozen	..	禾花雀
"Snipe,—Sa-Choy .....	..	26	沙雉
"Turkeys, Cook,—Phor Kai Kang .....	..	65	火雞
"..... Hen,"—Na .....	..	58	火雞翅
"Wild Ducks, S'ai,—Shanghal Sui-ai pair	..	..	上海水鴨
"..... Sui-ai Pa Chai, .....	..	75	水鴨仔
"Wild Ducks, Canton.—Sang Shing Sui Ap, ea.	\$1.25	..	棠城水鴨

Fish.		海鮮	
Harbel, —Ka Yu	14	加魚	魚
ream, —Bin Yu	13	海魚	魚
anton Fresh Water Fish, —Ho' Sin Yu ...	14	海魚	魚
arp, —Li Yu	16	鯉魚	魚
afish, —Chik Yu	11	赤魚	魚
odfish, —Mun Yu	14	雲魚	魚
rats, —Hai	16	蟹	魚
ittle Fish, —Muk yu	12	魚	魚
ab, —Sa Mang Yu	11	沙魚	魚
ace, —Wong Mei Lun	11	皮魚	魚

... Fish—Tsit Yu Sa	...	...	...
... sels, Congor.	Hai Mann	...	16
... Fresh water,	Tam Sin Yu	...	14
... sels, Yellow,	Wong Sin	...	24
... frogs,	Tian Kai	...	32
... taroups,	Sek Pan	...	69
... kudgeon,	Pak Kup Yu	...	13
... rarrings,	Tso Pak	...	18
... alibut,—Cheung Kwan Yu		...	20
... shus,—Wong Fa Yu		...	19
... asch,—Wu Yu		...	24
... obeters,—Lung Ha		...	32
... ackeroll,—Chi Yu		...	14
... n's Fish—Momo Yu		...	24

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Fruits.

Almonds, —Hung Yan

Apples, (California) —Kam San Ping Kl

 " (Chefoo) —Tin Chun Ping Khor

 " Small, —Hoi Tong

 " Custard, —Fan Lai Chi

Bananas, fragrant, Canton, —San Shih

 " Hong Chi

Bananas, (brides), Macao, —San Heng Ch

Chestnuts, Chinese, —Fong Lut

Carambola, —Yeh Tuo

Coconuts —Yung Tay

Leonous, China—Ning Moong ...
 „ America—Kum San Ning Moong ...
 Lichees, Dried—Lai Chi Con ...
 „ Fresh— „ ...
 Lines, (Saigon)—Sai Kung Ning Moong ...
 Mango, Manila—Lui Sung Mong ...
 Mango, Saigon—Sai Kung Moong...
 Men osteena,—San Chuk Tze ...
 Oranges, (Canton)—San Shing Tim Cha ...
 „ Small,—Tai Kut ...
 Olives,—Pak Lam ...
 Peas, (American)—Kam San Shut Lai ...
 „ (Canton), Cooking,—So Li ...

"	(Shanghai),—Sheung Hai Li	...
Peanuts,—	Fa Sang	...
Persimmons Large,—	Hung Chie	...
Fine-apples, 1st quality,—	Sheung Fou	...
	Paw Law	...
"	2nd cooking—Chung-tung-paw-law	...
Plantains,—	Tai Chou	...
Plums,—	Swatow Hung Lai...	...
Pumelo, Siam,—	Chim Lo Yau	...
Walnuts,—	Hop Tuo	...
"	Green,—Sang Hop Tuo	...

Vegetables, &c.

Artichokes, Shanghai	—Sheung Hai A
Chi Cheuk	...
Beans, (French), Macao,—Oh Moon Pin	...
(French), Shanghai,—Sheung H	...
Pin Tau	...
Sprout,—Ah Choi	...
Long,—Tan Kok	...
Beet Root,—Hung Choi Kau	...
Brinjals, Green,—Ching Yuen Ker	...
Red,—Hung Ker...	...
Brassica,—Pak Choi...	...
Bamboo Shoots,—Cheuk Shun	...
Cabbage, Chinese, com.—Kai Choy	...
Cabbage Root,—Kai Lan Tau	...

Cabbage, (Shanghai),—Yeh Chol ...
 Cane Shoots, bunch,—Kau Shun ...
 Cauliflower, Large size,—Tai Yek Chol-fa ...
 „ Medium size,—Cheung Yeh Chol-fa ...
 „ Small size,—Sai Yeh Chol Fa ...
 Carrots,—Kau Shun ...
 Celery, Chinese,—Tong Kan Choi ...
 „ English,—Young „ ...
 „ White,—Fak „ „ „ „
 Chilies Dried,—Con Lat Chiu ...
 „ Red,—Hung Fa „ ...
 „ Green,—Ching Lat Chiu ...
 Curry Stuff, English,—Ka Lee Choi Liu...

Cucumbers,—Ching Kwa	...	...
Bitter Squash,—Fu Kwa	...	...
Garlic,—Suen Tau	...	...
Ginger, young,—Sun Te Keung	...	...
old,—Lo Keung	...	...
Horse Radish, S'hai—Lik Kau	...	...
Indian Corn,—Suk Mat	...	...
Lettuces,—Yeung Sang Choi	...	...
Water Chestnuts,—Ma Tai	...	...
Mandarin,—Kwei Lum, Ma Tai,	...	...
Mushrooms, Fresh—Sang Cho Kho	...	...
Onions, Bombay,—Yeung Ching	...	...
Green,—Sang Churg	...	...

"	Shanghai, —Shengng Hai Chung	14	...	...	...
"	Japan, —Yut Poon	...	...	...	...
Parley, —	Kun Cho	...	...	...	...
Gradsus Pen, —	Ho Lan Tau	...	...	...	...
Green Peas, —	Ching Tau	...	...	...	...
Potatoes, Sweet, —	Fau Shu	...	...	...	...
"	Shanghai, —Shengng Hai Shu	15	...	...	...
"	Japan, —Yut Poo Shu Tau	...	...	...	...
"	American, —Fa Ki	17	...	...	...
"	Foochow, —Fuk Chau	19	...	...	...
"	Macao, —Oh Moon	...	...	...	...
Pumpkin, —	Toong Kwa	...	...	...	...
Radish, —	Hung Lo Pak Tai	...	...	...	...
Rhubarb, (Fresh) —	Tai Wong	...	...	...	...

Shallots,— <i>Con Chung Tau</i> .....	...
Spinage, (Chinese),— <i>Paw Choi</i> .....	...
Spinach,— <i>Yin Choi</i> .....	...
Tomatoes,— <i>Fan Ker</i> .....	...
Taro,— <i>Wa Tau</i> .....	...
Turnips, <i>Puut, (Long),—Low Pak</i> .....	...
English,— <i>Jeung Low Pak</i>
Vegetable Marrow,— <i>Ohk Kwo</i>
Water Cress,— <i>Sai Yang Choi</i>
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Yam,— <i>Ts Shu</i>

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Bremen, &c.	Hamburg (s).	Melchers & Co.	April 13.
Bremen, &c.	Prinz Heinrich (s).	Melchers & Co.	April 27.
Bremen, &c.	Bayern (s).	Butterfield & Swire ..	May 25.
Genoa, Mar'les L'pool	Edmondeston (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	April 14.
Hamburg	Brigavica (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	April 14.
Havre and Hamburg.	Suevia (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	April 25.
Havre and Hamburg.	Artemisia (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	May 17.
Havre and Hamburg.	Marburg (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie	April 17, Daylight.
Ioilo	Pronto (s)	China and T'ing Co.	2nd half of April.
Japan	Tsilia-jap (s)	Butterfield & Swire ..	April 19, at 4 p.m.
Kobe	Taiuan (s)	Butterfield & Swire ..	April 16.
London & Antwerp ..	Antenor (s)	Butterfield & Swire ..	May 10.
London & Antwerp, &c.	Malacca (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	April 13, at Noon.
London, &c.	Bengal (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	April 13, at Noon.
Manille via 'Saigon.	Salazie (s)	Messageries C ^o . Limited	April 19, at 1 p.m.
Manilla	Shawmut (s)	Dodwell & Co. Limited	About April 30.
Manila	Rubi (s)	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	April 16, at 10 a.m.
Manila	Zafiro (s)	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	April 23, at 10 a.m.
Manila	Sungliang (s)	Butterfield & Swire ..	April 15, at Noon.
New York v. Suez Canal.	Shimoda (s).	Dodwell & Co., Ltd.	About May Early.
Shanghai	Chusan (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About April 23.
Shanghai	Anhui (s)	Butterfield & Swire ..	About April 23.
Shanghai.	Wooesong (s).	Butterfield & Swire ..	April 15.
Sh'hai, Kobe & Yma.	Polynesian (s).	Messageries C ^o . Maritimes	About April 16.
Sh'pers O'be, B'bay & Sh'hai and Portland.	Triesto (s)	Sander, Viollet & Co.	April 20, p.m.
Sh'pers, Java Ports, &c.	Nicomedeia (s)	Portland & A. S. Co.	April 13.
Sh'pers, Pangkalea, &c.	Tyina (s)	China and T'ing Co.	1st half of May.
Sh'pers, P'echon	Chusan (s)	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	April 13 at 3 p.m.
Stow, Amoy & Tamsui.	Triumph (s)	Oosaka Shosen Kaisha.	April 15, at 1 a.m.
Stow, Amoy & Tamsui.	M. Struve (s)	Oosaka Shosen Kaisha.	April 15, at 10 a.m.
Stow, Amoy & Tamsui.	Trifios (s).	Oosaka Shosen Kaisha.	April 24, at 10 a.m.
Stow, Amoy & Tamsui.	Brith-jip (s).	Oosaka Shosen Kaisha.	April 24, at 10 a.m.
Stow, C'foo & E'gin	Kanai (s)	Butterfield & Swire ..	April 8.
Victoria, B.C., Tacoma	Prinz (s)	Dodwell & Co. Limited	May 4.
Victoria, B.C., Tacoma	Shawmut (s)	Dodwell & Co. Limited	May 21.
Vancouver (B.C.), &c.	Empress of India (s).	Canadian P'fic R. Co.	April 20.
Vancouver (B.C.), &c.	Athenian (s)	Canadian P'fic R. Co.	April 27.
Vancouver (B.C.), &c.	Empress of Japan (s).	Canadian P'fic R. Co.	May 11.
Yme Sh'hai, Moji, Kobe	Manilla (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About April 15.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

April 12, 1904.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid up.	Closing Quotations. Cash.
BANKS.				{ \$840, sellers
Bank of Montreal Bank Corp.	80,000	\$ 126	all	London, £83

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corp.	19,870	£	10	£	8	235½, buyers
National Bank of China, Limited, ...	22,955	£	10	£	8	235½, buyers
Do. Founders' shares	750	£	1	£	1	110
MARINE INSURANCES.						
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd. ...	10,000	£	250	£	50	3175
China Marine Insurance Co., Ltd. ...	24,000	£	83.33	£	25	256½, buyers

China Trade Insurance Co., Ltd.	10,000	15	\$11,250
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	10,000	250	\$100 buyers
Union Insurance Society, Ltd.	8,000	100	\$80
Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.			\$135
FIRE INSURANCES.			
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	100	\$83
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	250	\$285

DOCKS, ETC.							
W'kong & Whampoa Dock Co. Ltd.,	50,000	\$	50	all	\$208	buyers	
Isco. Fenwick & Co., Limited.	6,000	\$	25	\$	25	\$47	
New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd.	6,000	\$	61	\$	62	\$374	sellers
S. C. Farham, Boyd & Co. Ltd.	65,700	Tls.	100	Tls.	100	Tls. 145	
STEAMBOATS, TUGS, ETC.							
		\$	50	\$	50	\$50	sellers

hina and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd.	30,000	50	50	all	835, sales
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	5	15	all	827, buyers
HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ltd.	80,000	10	10	all	893, sellers
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited	60,000	10	10	all	891, sales
Far Ferry Company, Ltd.	10,000	10	5	all	818, sellers
	10,000	10	10	all	818, buyers

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1	China Sugar Company, Limited.....	20,000	\$ 100	a	\$100, buyers
2	Luzon Sugar Company, Limited.....	7,006	\$ 100	a	\$10, sellers
3	Perak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ltd.....	7,000	Tls. 50	T 50	Tls. 50, sales
4	WABAVES				
4	HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co.	30,000	\$ 50	all	\$94, buyers
4	Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co.....	20,100	Tls. 100	Tls100	Tls: 180

LAND AND BUILDING.						
3	Hongkong Land Investment and	50,000	\$	100	100	\$145, sales
4	Agency Company, Limited	52,000	Tls.	50	Tls. 50	Tls. 1.7, sellers
5	Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.					
6	Kowloon Land and Building Com-	6,000	\$	50	30	\$35
7	pany					
8	Land and Building Co., Ltd.	3,784	Tls.	25	Tls. 25	Tls. 10

2	Wei-Net-wei Lano & Building Co.,	100,000	2	10	all	\$10.60, buyers
3	Humphreys Estate & Finance Co.,	51,000	3	10	21	\$2.00, sales & buyers
3	West Point Building Co., Limited...	12,500	3	50	50	\$53
2	TRAHWAYS.					
1	H.K. High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,250	1	100	all	\$300
1	MINING.					

3	1	New Punjom Mining Co., Ltd.....	60,000	11	1	all	\$1, sundry
4	2	Preference shares.....	30,000	8	1	all	25 cents
5	3	Soc 676 "Francaise des Charbon-	16,000	Fcs. 250	all		\$500
6	4	nages du Tonkin.....}					
7	5	Raub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ltd....	200,000	£	1	18/10	\$64, sales & sellery
8	6	HOTELS. ETC.					
9	7		10,000	£	50	all	\$132, sellery

2	0	Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	12,000	T. 115.50	Tls. 50	Tls. 150, buyers	
4	0	Antor House Hotel Ltd. (Tientsin) ..	2,000	\$	25	\$ 25	
		Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (Shanghai)	30,000	\$	25	\$ 25	
		DISPENSARIES.					
		A. S. Watson & Co., Limited.	60,000	\$	10	all	
		Watkins Limited	10,000	\$	10	\$ 10	

LIGHTING.		7,000	£	10	5	\$140, buyers
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited...	8,000	Tls.	60	Tls.	50	\$110; sales
Shanghai Gas Company, Ltd.....	30,000	£	10	£	10	\$13, sales
Hongkong Electric Co., Limited ...	30,000	£	10	£	5	\$65, buyers
New Electrics (new issue)						
BRICK AND CEMENT.						
Island Cement Co., Ltd.	50,000	£	10	£	10	\$23½, ex div., sales

MISCELLANEOUS.					
	Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency,	8,604	£ 12/8	£ 12/8	85, sellers
	Ld.	1,000 order	10	£ 8	69, buyers
	United Asbestos Oriental Agency,	100 shares	10	£ 8	82 1/2, buyers
	Limited.	7,000	10	£ 8	115 1/2, sellers
	Flt. Steam Water-boat Co., Ltd. ...	1,000	24	£ 11	212 1/2, buyers

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			Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	20,000	Tls.	67	Tls. 50	Tls. 100, 80 cents
	3	b	International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	Tls.	78	Tls. 75	Tls. 25
	3	e	Laon-Kung-Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls.	119	Tls. 100	Tls. 32½
	2	e	Szechwan Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	2,000	Tls.	500	Tls. 00	Tls. 179

NEW	2	c	China Private Loan Mortgage	50,000	10	10	\$8.75, sellers
NE	2	c	Co. Ltd.	60,000	12	12	\$8.10, buyers
NNE	2	b	China Borneo Company, Ltd.	1,200	1	all	\$7, ex div., sellers
	2	b	Campbell Moore & Co., Ltd. ed.	12,000	10	10	\$1, \$9
			Wm. Powell, Ltd.				
			Shanghai and Hongkong Dyeing	1,200	50	50	\$50

	and Cleaning Co., Ltd.	70,000	\$	10	\$	10	\$10, Nominal
Assistant.	The Canton-Hongkong Ice and Cold						
11 12, 1904.	Storage Company, Limited						
	CIGAR COMPANIES.						
	Philippine Co., Ltd.	67,500	\$	1	\$	10	\$10, buyers
	Alhambra Limited,	300	\$	600	\$	5 A	\$200

	LOANS.	Amount.	Value.	Interest.	Quotation.
39.00	Chinese Imperial 1886	Tls. 767,200	Tls. 850	7 % p. annua	Par
29.86					
29.92					
75					

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